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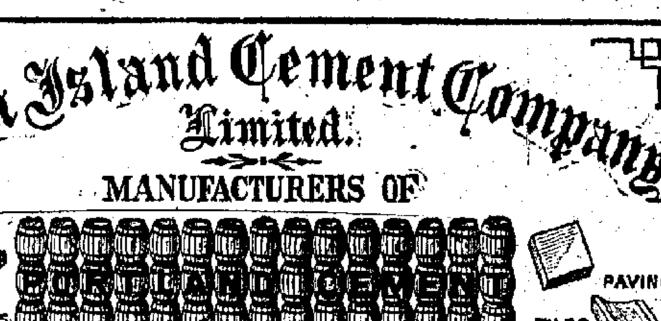
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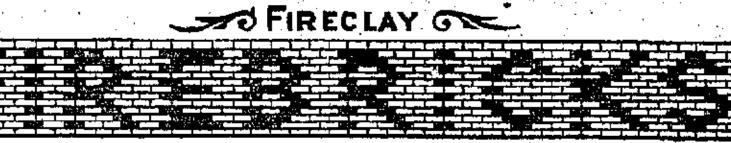
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confirmation as special resolutions. Dollars each to be issued at a premium of the Colonial Secretary for the Colony of of Ten Dollars each, such Price of Ten Hongkong, in the Name of the said Com-Dollars each and also such premium of pany. shall from time to time determine.

the 1st day of July, 1897, shall be the Hongkong or to the Undersigned... Registered Shareholders of the old or existing Shares in the proportion of One New Share for every Old or existing Share and such offer shall be made by a notice specifying the number of New Shares which each such Registered Shareholder shall be entitled to take up and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted in writing will be deemed to be not accepted, and all non-accepted Shares shall be disposed of for the benefit of the Company on such conditions as the General Managers shall determine.

(3)-That the remaining Ten Thousand New Shares he Allotted to the General apply for and accept that number. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

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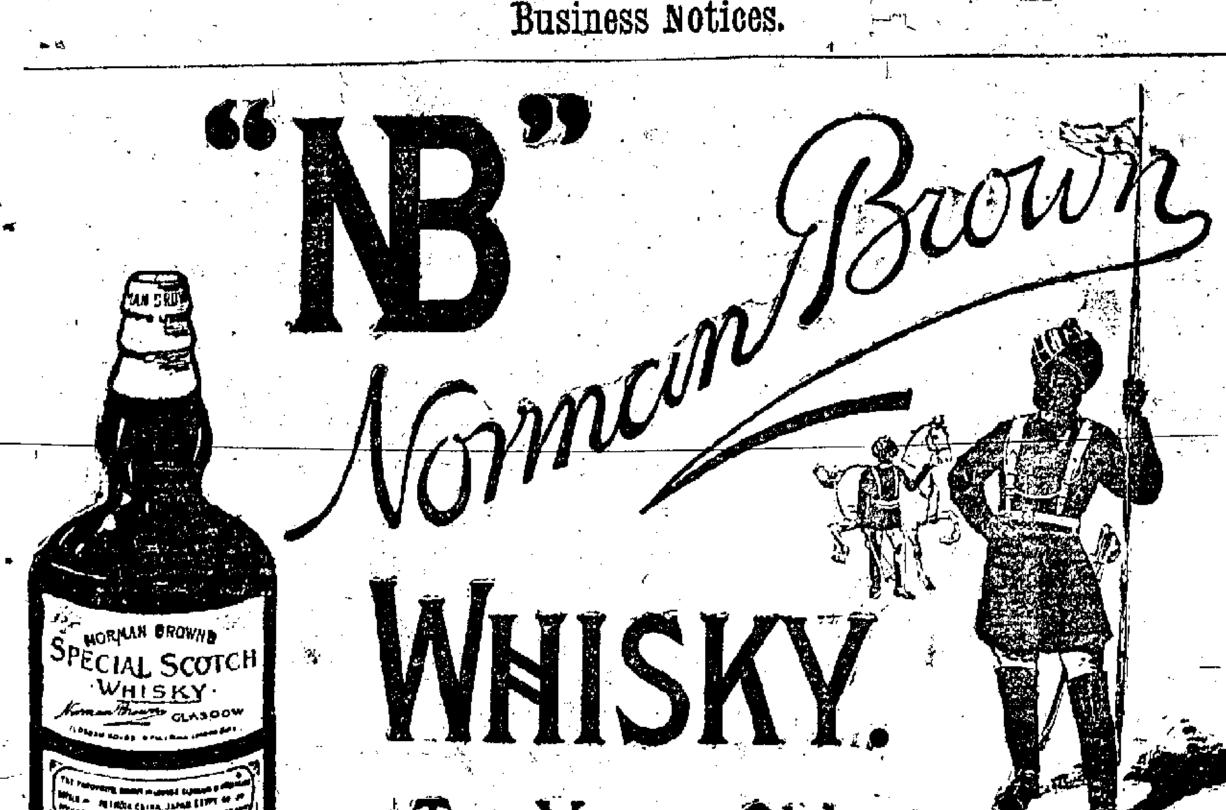
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H. A. RITOHIE, Superintendent. Hongkong, June 24, 1897.

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WEGENER & Co. Krim, Norwegian str., 1,117, J. Irgens, Hongay June 20, Coal .- JARDENE, MATREgon & Co. Mongkut, British str., 859, A. B. Calder, Koh-si-ohang June 17, General, Burran, to Hongkong, light variable winds, cloudy 1880 | trem & gates!

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Date of Leaving. Destination. Vessels. Australian Ports Menmuir (a) Gibb, Livingston & Co. June 26, at noon. Australian Por a Sagami Maru (s)....... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. June 30, at Noon, Japan Ports...... July 2, at noon. London, v. Suez Canal Hector (s) Butterfield & Swire... July 3, London Formosa (s) P. & O. S. N. Co.... About July B. Manila..... Esmeralda (8)..... Shewan, Tomes & Co. June 26, at 5 p.m. Marseilles. v. Salgon. Caledonien (8)...... Messageries Maritim. July 7, at noon. New York, v. Suez Canai Carmerthenshire (s).... Shewan, Tomes & Co About June 30. New York, v. Suez Canal Fortuna (s) Shewan, Tomes & Co. About July 10. New York......Olan Maackenzie...... Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Quick despatch. Samarang & Sourabaya Shantung (8) Butterfield & Swire.. June 30. San Francisco.......... Heathbank...... Showan, Tomes & Co. Quick despatch. Shanghai, Kobé & Y'ma Lennex (s)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About June 28. Shanghai Mirzapore (a). P. & O. S. N. Co..... About June 26. Shanghai Loongmoon (a)........ Siemssen & Co....... June 25, at 4 p.m. Shanghai, vis Amoy... Myrmiden (s)............ Butterfield & Swire... June 25, at 4 p.m. S'pore, Col'be & B'bay Idzami Maru (s). Nippon Yuson Kaisha. July 6, at Noon. S'pore, Havre & H'ourg Thekla (8)...... Siemssen & Co...... Ju e 30, at 4 p.m. S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Haitan (s) Douglas Lapraik & Co. June 25, at noon. S'tow,C foo & Tientsin Kweiyang (s)...... Butterfield & Swire June 28. Tacoma (Wash.), &c... Olympia (6)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. July 6, at noon. Vancouver (B.C.), & Empress of India (s)... Canadian Pfic 10. Co June 30, at noon. West River Ports..... Wingtong (s) Butterfield & Swire, June 28, at 4 p.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. June 24. MAILS will close:-Yungching, Chinese str., from Canton. For SINGAPORE & BANGKOK.-Sullberg, German str., from Canton. Per Phranang, at 9.30 a.m., on Friday, Myrmidon, British str., 1,815. Rorison, Liverpool and Singapore June 18, General. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE.

Malacca, British steamer, 2,615, N. P. Pollock, London May 15, and Singapore 18, General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. For TIENTSIN .-This Steamer has apperior Accommoda Hermes, Norwegian steamor, 849, J. C.

Devawongse, British steamer, 1,057, R. Curtis, Bangkok via Swatow June 23, General.-YUEN FAT HONG.

Senta, German steamer, 2,660, S. Voss, Hamburg and Singapore June 18, General. SIBMSSEN & Co.

DEPARTURES. June 23. Polyphemus, for Nagasaki.

Kwang Lee, for Shanghai. June 24. Bengo, Portuguese gunboat, for Macao. Thekla, for Foochow.

Hinsang, for S marang. Brindin, for Kobe. CLEARED. Ivy, for Mantong. Ching Ping, for Tlentsin. Sullberg, for Cheloo.

Sungkiana, for Amoy. Hailan, for Hoihow. PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Australian, for Hongkong: from Sydney, Mr and Mrs T. Hope Murray; from Queeusland, Messra Hobson, Halst, Jack, Jameson, and 1 Steorage; from Australia and New Zealand, 35 Chinese. Per Wuotan, from Saigon, 25 Chinese.

Per Myrmidon, from Singapore, 155 Chi-Per Malacca, for Hongkong: from Penang, 103 Chinese; from Singapore, Messrs H. Caldecott and C. A. Schmuck, and 218 Chinese. From Singapore; for Yokohama, Mr A. F. Evaos. Per Mongkut, from Koh-si-chang, 22

Per Devawongse, from Bangkok, 306

DEPARTED. Per Preussen, from Hongkong: for Singapore, Messra Wong Chee Sing, Se Olim Kai, Se See Pin, Se Tim See, and 4 Chinese for Colombo, Mr H. S. Moss, and 6 Chinese; for Sucz. Mr A. Brocca; for Genoa, Mr and Mrs Dittler, Mr W. Watgo and family, Mr and Mrs Schaub, Capt. I. Brubn, Capt. I. Diedrichsen; for Southampton, Mr I. P. Martin, Mr and Mrs Spencer, and Mr J. Legg; for Bremen, Capt. H. Lorenzen, and Mr. W. Koch; for Bremerhaven, Mr W. Wilkens. From Japan : for Genea, Messra Ed. Thorwest, M. Klee, Gasperi Valeris, Dr Kiribashi Dr M. Masayama, Messre I. Nakahava and Suyuki ; for Bremen, Miss A. Mals Zickwolf, Messrs A. Schmidt, V. Hempel, and E. Steiness From Vokohama ; for Colom- 1 bo, Mr and Mrs T. Aikins, Messra A. Atkins and J. Taylor. From Nagasaki for Bremen, Messra H. Jensen, M. Abrahamsen, C. Jorgensen, E. Thomsen, O. Sindberg, T. Gosh, H. Andersen, J. Hansen, F. Carlson, A. Jacobsen, Th. Petersen, F. Bendsen, T. Samuelsen, T. Styff, E. Petersen, E. Jansen, T. Becklin, E. Nyberg, A. Petersen, O. Asmann, Bivek, O. Krestoffersen, and O. Andersen. From Shanghal: for Genoa, Messrs A. Rhode, M Nossler, and I. Hasie; for Antwerp, Messrs N. S. Soderman, H. and L. van der Stegen; for London, Mrs Boad, Mosses R., Bourke, M. Bowmann, and A. Lait; for Bremen, Miss Buschert, Capt. Wettergren, and Mr Paul Grabowsky. Per Melbourne, for Shanghai, Messis T. Ferguion, Max Samuel, and Mrs Izabelle Massien ; for Kobe, Mrs E. A. Apear; for Yokohama, Mr Loger. Per Natal, from Hongkong : for Silgon, Mr W. A. Main, 27 Chinese, and 2 Chiness women; for Sings; ore, Messra C.

Demée, Rodger Richardson, S. Musso, J. Dill Rose. Mr and Mrs Fuller and child. Mr and Mrs Wong, Miss Oreye, G. Van Olden, A. de Black, G. Gevers, D. yaor, 3 cave at Noon. The Money Order Office, Japanese women, and '1 Chinese; for Ba- will be closed at 5 the day before. tavia, t Chinese and child; for Marseille, Messrs W. E. Filmer and Paterson. From Yokohama: for Saigon, Mr_Bolot; for Singapore, Mrs Boss and children, Mesers Lin Choo Leng, Siddon, and 8 Indians; for Batavia, Mr and Mrs Coster Van Voorhout; for Port Said, Mr R. Herzog. From Kobe : for Singapore, Mrs Hobaya, Mesers Tahara, Kawai, Mrs Stuabagaski, and 16 Japanese. From Shanghai: for Singapore, Mr. W. Mitchell; for Port Said, Mr F. A. Rovalsky; for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs Ohlebnikoff, Mr F. Deacon, Rev. Pigrum, Mesers L. Guillemot and L. Buzule.

To DEPART. Per Sungkiang, for Amoy, 150 Chinese. Per Hailan, for Hoihow, 100 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Australian reports : Loft Sydney June Srd, and called at More-Cooktown 8th, Thursday Island 10th, and Temperature Port Darwin 14th. Experienced moderate Humidity S.E. winds to Cabra, with fine weather Direction of) and fresh S.W. monsoon, and heavy rains The British steamer Myrmidon reports : Weather

Wet, and unsettled weather. The British steamer Mongicut reports : Loft Kob-al-chang June 17th, and had mo- Lowert open at temperature on the Hitlestone derate S. W. monacon to Paracela ; thence Mobilet. Mith total Mobile.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Noon. - Haitan leaves for Coast Ports.

4 p.m .- Myr miden leaves for Shanghai. Meeting.

Noon.-Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of The Green Island Comont Co., Limited, at the Company's Office, No. 9, Praya Central.

General Memoranda. SATURDAY, June 26 :--Goods per Brindisi not cleared after a p.m. subject to rent. UESDAY, June 29:--Noon,-Meeting of Shareholders of The

Hongkong Electric Co., Lid., at the Company's Offices, No. 27, Queen's Goods per Steamer Melbourne unclaimed after this date subject to rent.

Temperature. (Taken at Meurs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) Honoxono, June 24, 1897. 9 A.M.... 29.62 BABOMETER-1 P.M... 29. 8 4 P.M.... 29.55 THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 81 1 P.M. ... 4 P.M.... ... 82 (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 78 1 P.M. 78 4 P.M. 78 Do. Maximum 83 Do. Minimum evaentaht 80

Quotations. Horokono, June 24_1897. OPIUM-New Patns, cash, ... 700 - New Beneres, cash, 695 New Malwa, credit, 770/780 Allowance, Taels,... 8/32 Old Malwa, credit, 790/820 Allowance, Taels,... 0/24 Persian, Oily, cash,. --Allowance, Taels,... -Persian, Paper tied 600/610 Allowance Tanta, ... 0/16

Per Myrmidon, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, Per Yung Ching, at 3.30 p.m., on Fri-Per Loongmoon, at 3.30 p.m., on Mon-Exchange. Hongsong, June 24, 1897. For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE & On London-Bank, Wire, On demand. Per Malacca, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 30 days' sight, 1/112 4 months sight, 1/11 Credits, 4 ,, Per Changsha, at 9.30 a.m., on Saturday, Documentary, 4 months' sights, ...2/04 On Paris— On demand, 2.49 Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Satur-Credits, 4 months sight, ... 2.53 On Berlin—Demand,... 2.02 For THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNS-On New York— VILLE. BRISBANE, SYDNEY & On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, 49 Per Sagami Maru, Registration, at 10 On Bombay— Wire, 160 a.m., Letters, at 1130 a.m., on On demand, ... Ass. 161 On Calcutta-Wire, ... 160 Per Shantung, at 1.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 30 h June. On demand, 161 On Shanghai-On demand, 74 Per Thekla, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednes-30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 745 Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael).... \$50.50 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 9.94 For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Silver (per oz.) Per Ancona, at 11.39 a.m., on Friday,

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cellent quality and of greater age than most brands in the market. The SCOTCH WHISKEY marked 'E' is universally popular, and is pronounced by the best local conncissours to superior to any other brand in the Hongkong market.

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BIRTHS. On April 10, at West Zorra, Canada, the wife of A. D. LAMONT, formerly of Singapore, of a Daughter.

At Bangkok, on the 9th June, the wife of Mr W. S. PERRY, of a Daughter. DEATHS. tional Hospital, Kobe, of consumption, DANIEL MORGAN, a native of Boston, U.S.A.; aged 38. Penang, on Menday, the 14th June,

GEORGE THEOPHILUS STUBBS, the beloved second son of Henry J. A. and Margaret J. Crowe, aged 17 years 11 months and 18 At Changtu, Szechuan, on Monday, the 17th of May, of cerebre-spinal maningitis, Miss Jennie Ford, of the Canadian Me-thodist Mission.

23-The publication of this issue commenced at 6.50 p m:

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1897.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.)

JUTWARD BOUND :- Imperatrix, May 12; also in the match. Achilles, Glencertney, Fortuna, 18; Salazie, 25; Blue Oross, Lennox, 28; Ching-Simons, Monnine, Java, Devonshire, 11; Diomed, Prometheus, 15; Prinz Heinrich Cromarty, 18. HOMEWARD BOUND : - Ceylon, Guadal-

quiver, May 7; Breconshire, 25; Japan, 4; Menelaus, Benmohr, 8.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER. OUTWARD :- May 11 .- Germ. ship Flottbek for Hiogo, from Philadelphia Feb. 13. May 13 .- Italian barque Pietro Accame for Santarang, from Savannah Feb. 27 May 17, -British ship Arracan for Yo-19.—British ship Falls of Clyde for Shanghai, from New York Feb. 13. May 20 .- British harquo Strathgriffe 21 .- British ship Lady Wentworth for Hiogo, from Philadelphia Jan. 9. May 23.-Italian ship Knight of the Garter for Singapore, from Cardiff Feb. 12 rang, from Savannah Jan. 27.

May 25.—Italian barque Tony for Sama-HOMEWARD :- May 12 .- British ship Fort Stuart for London, from Manila April 3. Rotterdam, from Batavia May 12; Italian barque Speme for New York, from Singa-Bangkok. May 16 .- British ship John Wegu for Falmouth, f.o., from Bangkok teres for Falmouth, f.o., from Bangkok appointed a member of the India Council. April 6. May 21.-Norwegian barquentine Professor Nordenskjold for Cadiz, from Bangkok April 21. May 24.-Ned. barque Concordia for Barbadoz, f.o., from Batavia May 22. May 30.-American ship Daniel Barnes for Boston, from Singapore May 13. June 8.-American ship Emily F. Whitney for Dela-

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Belgie with the AMERICAN MAIL of 29th May, left at daylight, and may be expected here which left Singapore the same night.

ware, Brenkwater, from Itoilo May 5.

on or about Saturday, the 26th June. The P. & O. Co 's s.s. Mirrapore with the 6 a. n., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 27th June. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 22nd

The Imp. Ger. Mail s. s. Sachsen carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 31st May, left Colombo on Sunday, the 20th June, and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 30th June.

Steamers Expected.

The N. P. S. Co.'s s. s. Pelican arrived at Kobe from Tacoma on the 7th June. The D. D. R. s. s. Senta from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 18th June, and may be expected here on or about the 25th June. The N. G. I. s. s. Letimbro left Singapore on the 20th June, and may be expect-

ed here on or about the 26th June. The s. s. Lennor left Singapore on the 21st June, and is due here on or about the 27th June. The C. M. Co.'s s. s. Chingwo, from Swan-

ses, Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 1st June, and was due at Singapore on or about the 18th The Rickmers' Line chartered steamer Cassius passed the Suez Canal on the

1st June, and was due at Singapore on or about the 21st June. The C. M. Co.'s str. Moyune, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 10th June, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 29th June. The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Mazagon left Bom-

bay for this port on the morning o

the 17th June. Latest Advices. The P. M. chartered str. Cluden which left hence May 23rd for San Francisco via Moji, arrived at her destination on the 21st June. The B. S. Glenturret from London and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 22nd

to be pure Cookso, the difference in The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Pathan sailed from Tacoma Wn., on the afternoon of 20th June for this port via Japan ports.

On Tuesday an express was issued by the Cable Companies intimating that direct cable communication with Shanghai was interrupted. Traffic for Shanghai and Ja pan is being despatched by best means via Chinese land lines to Amoy and thence Cable. Traffic for Europe and America being despatched entirely via Eastern. To-day the situation is unchanged. The typhoon in the Formoss Channel thereabouts is evidently delaying repairing operations. The Cable Companies steamer We only guarantee our Wires and was due yesterday at one of the breaks.

Visseis At THE DOCKS:-- At Kouloon-Reine Cristina, San Josquin, Tsichsons Aberdeen - (None). Comopoliton-Hohensollera.

Parer of the boxes, Violins (fine models Mandylines, and Statute of all title.

** LATE telegrams will be found on the THE Nagasaki Daily News made its first

appearance on the 12th inst. On Thursday, June 10, at the Interna. THE P. M. s. s. China leaving hence on the

26th June, at noon, will call at Amoy. At Butterworth, Province Wellesley, Politann's Lilliputians have secured record

attendances at their performances in Kobe. Miss Eldridge had a bad fall from her bicycle in Main Street, Yokohama, on the

11th inst., and broke her knee-cap. Since the outbreak of plague in Formesa on the 23rd March down to 14th June, there have been 452 cases and 346 deaths.

Two Chinamen were killed at Singapore, on the 12th inst. whilst illicitly manufacturing freworks for the Jubilee celebra-

Kose defeated a joint cricket team from the Centurion and the Alacrity by 18 runs on the 12th inst. Peach, with 46, was the highest scorer for the combined team and

On the last voyage of the Mongkut to alder, Tantalus, Annandale, Milne, Len. Bangkok, the cook to the Chinese sailors nox, 4; Niobe, Suchsen, 3; Ernest was convicted on a charge of smuggling opium, and was fined Ticuls 200, with the alternative of three months' hard labour,

From Manila exchanges we note that the 28; Candia, June 1; Hertha, Colong, rebellion in the centre of Luzon district shows no signs of abating; skirmishes have taken place again in several parts of the provinces of Bulacan, Tarlac, and Nueva

A CORRESPONDENT writes to the N.-C. kohama, from New York Dec. 26. May Daily News describing a fever which, for weeks, has been killing off the natives of Ichang, Shasi and district at the rate of Shanghai, from New York Feb. 16. May from twenty to thirty per day. Is it bubonic fever ?

Mr. G. W. F. Playfair, the General Manager of the National Bank of China (Limited), who is now at home on leave, is spending most of his time at Eastbourne May 13.-Ned. barque Amsterdam for recruiting his health. He is already better since his return home.

pore April 18. May 15.—Norwegian Henry N. Gladstone, of Ogilvy, Gillanders barque Yilateur for Cadiz, f.o., from & Co. London, and Gillanders, Arbuthnot. & Co., London, and Gillanders, Arbuthnot McLeod for Delaware Bay, f.o., from & Co., Calcutta, has joined the Board of Hoilo April 30. May 17.—German ship the Chartered Bank in succession to Sir April 18. May 17.—German ship Au- James L. Mackay, K.C.I.E., who has been

THE China Mutual Steam Navigation Co.'s steamer Oanfa, (Capt. Barber), the first of the Hankow tea steamers, arrived at Singapore on the morning of the 16th inst. and left the same afternoon at one o'clock. She had on board 5,000 tons of tea, and went down to the Straits at an average . speed of 12 knots. The Oanfa was closely Yokohama on Friday, the 18th June, followed by the s.s Glengyle, from Foochow,

ENGLISH MAIL of 28th May, left Sin- Anyone who has visited the open ports of gapore on Tuesday, the 22nd June, at Japan cannot help having his attention called to the rowdy behaviour of the people of the lower classes—notably the cargo coolies, the sampan people and the ricksha coolies. Kobe, in particular, has carned for itself an uneviable reputation, and it is evident that the time has arrived for joint action by the Foreign Consuls to bring pressure upon the Japanese authorities for the safety of fereigners residing in or visiting Japan. The police (or gendarmes) of Japan are useless-worse than uscless. The latest outrage reported from Kobe is an assault upon the chief officer of the British steamer Afridi. He was set upon by a drunken coolie, and struck with one of the iron hooks used by the coolies for moving bales of cotton or bags of rice. Fortunately, the officer was not seriously injured, but that was not the fault of the coolie. The facts of the case were laid before the British Consul, and the coolie was arrested. It is to be hoped an example will be made of him, and that the coolies of Kobe will be taught that foreigners, whatever their nationality, cannot be assaulted with impunity.

> H.E. the Governor-General of the Philippines has published another decree of a which the following is the pith :-

Art. 1. Suits instituted against officers in active service and public functionaries are to be proceeded with the utmost dispatch, until sentence is dictated or suit

Art. 2. Suits not included in the former article, which have been instituted on account of the rabellion, are to be quashed at once if the Court Martials have not already dictated sentence, and the prisoners to which they refer are to be set at liberty. Art. 3. Officers and non-commissioned officers retired from the service, to whom

the benefits of the former article apply, will have to fix their residence in the places which I shall think fit to assign to them. Art. 4. Soldiers included in these articles will obtain their retirement from the service, and those not comprised under these articles will be sent to other services

which my authority may deem best. Art. 5. Judges having these suits in hand will remit them to me at once with their opinion on same, abstaining from taking any further action whatever from the publication of this order.

Mamila, 17th June, 1897. Paimo de Rivera.

W. Rosinson & Oc., Plano and Musical instrument specialists and experts. Work-shops and Pastery. Duddell St.; Show-Rooms Queen's Boad Canter

THE Rifle Brigade sports were held at Singapore on the 12th inst. The Challenge | Saunders, Colonial Treasurer of Ceylon, Shield, won last year in Hongkong by Capt. Eccles' Company, went this year to Capt. Patton-Bethune's.

We have just seen the cover of a catalogue sent out by the Chain Belt Engineering Co.,' of Derby, England, addressed to a firm in 'Duddell Street, Hongkong, Ire-And this is fame?

In connection with the Royal salute fired on Tuesday, the Phanic was unable to join in the cannonade as there were no saluting scharges ready in store for her 4-inch guns, which are of the latest type.

At the Magistracy to-day, before Commander Hastings, Captain Duhme, of the steamer Taicheong, was fined \$300 for not proceeding immediately to the quarantine anchorage on 18th June on arrival from the infected port of Swatow.

We are asked to intimate that in events Nos. 2 and 6 of the programme for the addresses in person. Jubilee Gymkhana, to be held on Saturday, I " there will be second and third prizes not in money but in its worth, and the conditions of this contest are altered accordingly. Additional entries will be accepted till moon on Saturday.

June by Captain the Hon. Hedworth Lambton, with a complement of 840 officers and men for the China Station. H.M.S. has accepted the generous offer. Aurora was commissioned for the same destination on the same day. These ships RAILWAY IN THE NATIVE STATES. will be present at the Naval review at Spithead, after which they will proceed to their

THE staff at H.M. Naval Yard is to be augmented by the following appointments: -Mr W. E. Turner, assistant victualling store-keeper from the Cape, is appointed deputy victualling store-keeper in charge. He will in all probability leave England Rooms Queen's Road Central. about 12th August. Mr E. Horam, draughtsman, from Devenport, is appointed with the cuphonious name of the 'O'Higfor five years to a situation under the chief | gins. constructor.

takes exception to one of our Kobe contemporaries reproducing an extract from A NATIVE clerk in the Imperial Maritime the China Mail recounting the atrocious treatment of certain prisoners in Manila prisons. The Consul very honestly says: I do not know anything of the present case, but he appears to infer that if there have been any atrocities committed it was world, frequently abuse their powers. That is possible. We have not enquired if powers; but from what we know of the lief that it is not the police (or gaolers) in vorld.' We can only express our regret ant some individual Spaniards do not act

officials so frequently profess. THE Rev. Mesrop Gregory, who was Armenian Minister to St. Gregory's Church, Singapore, for some years, and was on his the voyage. He leaves two sons, who are in the service of the Perak Government. --Singapore Free Press.

Amov despatches report that the coal found in the South Taiwu range of hills, near the port, has proved to be very good anthracite. It is superior to either Kelung or any other coal found, so far, in the South of China. Unfortunately, the Company which is working the above mines has only a small capital and cannot, at present, afford to buy adequate modern mining machinery to thoroughly develop the mines. Application is being now made for help to the Fukien Government .- N.-C. Daily

Ma Yamamoto, the Chairman of the Kobe Chamber of Commerce, in compliance with the vote of the Chamber, on the 12th inst. forwarded a representation to President McKinley by cable to the effect that in the opinion of the Chamber the U.S. new Tariff will surely paralyse the trade between Japan and America; and the President was carneatly requested to reconsider the Bill. A telegram was also sent to Mr Hoshi, the him to protest against the Tariff: Furthermore, the Charman of the New York - Chamber of Commerce was asked to join in the opposition to the new Tariff legislation. Japanese merchants must be of a sanguine disposition if they hope that any benefit will | no rue from such protests.—Kobe Chronicle.

generation of the Celestial Empire.

Ove Caustic Critic's Remark on British The Have-beens, Would-best Haven't the least about whine bluster

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.']

London, 21st June, 1897. JUBILEE HONOURS. The Governor of Hongkong, Mr F. R. and Mr F. A. Swettenham, Resident in

the Malay States, have received the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George. The Sultan of Johore has been appointed a Knight Commander of St. Michael and

Hadji Mahomed Besar of Johore has been appointed an Honorary Companion of St. Michael and St. George.

Doctor Bushell of Bekin and Consul Jamieson of Shanghai have been appointed Companions of St. Michael and St. George. PARLIAMENT AND THE JUBILEE. The House of Lords has, passed the Ju- 1819; crowned 1838; married 1840; six

biles address unanimously. In the House of Commons, Mr Dillon protested, and the Dillonites left the House. Mr Redmond moved an amendment which was rejected by 436 to 7.

459 to 44.

(Special Telegrams to the Singapore Free

CHINESE LOYALTY AT PENANG: Penang, June 15th, 1897.

Mr Cheah Chen Eok, a well known resident of Penang, has offered, in honour H.M.S. Powerful was commissioned on 8th of the Queen's Diamond. Jubilee, to erect in Penang a clock tower and fountain at a cost of \$30,000.

The Penang Municipal Commissioners

Taipeng, June 16th, 1897. A loan of \$7,000,000 has been sanctioned for railways, and work, which was previously suspended, has been resumed from

The railway extension to Prye has been

W. Robinson & Co., Piano and Musical Instrument specialists and experts. Workshops and Factory, Duddell St.; Show

A New Chilian cruiser has been launched

THE Frenchi Mission has purchased the Kobe Municipal property for \$32,000, for's MR E. Freyre, Consul for Spain at Kobe, | the erection of an orphanage school, etc.

> Customs in Shanghai, named Hau Wenping, has been arrested for embezzling funds and making false accounts to prevent detection. He has been taken to the native city to be tried and receive his deserts. -China Gazette.--

THE steamer Sembi (1) in which some of the · by the police, who, 'in any part of the Chinese sought to escape from the Pescadores when the attack was made by the Japanese, and which was sunk in the Bay of Chikko by the Japanese war-ships, has this is a case where the police abused the been raised. She is to be taken to Japan

conduct of the recent campaign against the IT is repeatedly asserted by lapanese papers Philippine insurgents we incline to the be- that the revenue for the next financial year will show a deficit of between thirty and forty million yen. The Ministry is there-Manila prisons who are capable of outrages fore considering what new sources of reagainst humanity. At the same time, as venue it can tap. Count Okuma, it is said, we have no animosity against the Spanish is for further increasing the taxes on salte and land, and as this proposal is received; nation, we are willing to agree with Mr by the other Ministers with some show of Freyre that 'unjust aspersions' should not favour, efforts are being made to secure sed upon the Spaniards, 'whose their unanimous consent. It is being quickly learned in Japan that expenditure for ts,' he says, 'are quite equal to the increase of armaments does not stop of the other civilised countries of the with the initial outlay. Big ships and big guns are expensive toys .- Kobe Uhronicle.

SIR E. L. G'Malley, Chief Justice of British up to the humanitarian sentiments their Guiana, has arrived in England on Icavo of absence. Says the London Echo :- Sir. Edward O'Malley, Chief Justice of British Guiana, has just come over on a holiday. and he will remain in this country till the autumn. Before joining the Colonial Service way from Singapore to Persia, died on Sir Edward practised on the Norfolk and South-Eastern circuits, and 30 years ago made a bid for a seat in the House of Commons, contesting Bedford, but suffering defeat. In 1876 he was appointed Attorney-General of Jamaica, and three years later became Attorney-General of Hongkong, a post which he held for 10 years, when he was appointed Chief Justice at Singapore. He was appointed to his present position in British Guiana two years ago, and he is a very popular figure

in society in the Sugar and Mud Colony. THE secret is now out. A paragraph in a vernacular contemporary states that the tea duty in America was imposed at the solicitation of the New York house of a Kobe firm, in order that they might sell out their stock and make heavy profits.' This is according to a report received by a Japanese tea merchant in Kobe. It is a report. says the journal, which cannot easily be credited, but the action of the Kobe branch of the firm suggests something, for at the opening of the season the firm purchased were surprising during the tea season. Evidently it is thought the business capacity of the foreigner is on the same level with that of the average Japanese merchant, a constant interchange of telegrams between Japaneso Minister at Washington, asking Evidently it is thought the business capacity that of the average Japanese merchant. who, unless he is belied, would readily sacrifice his future prospects of doing business for the sake of securing an immediate extra profit .- Kobe Ohronicle.

not out of the way, but with the usual calm. | &cc. ness of the Celestial did not put herself in

RECORD REIGN CELEBRATIONS. | standing on the point of the Peninsula had | a remarkably fine appearance when seen from the other side of the harbour. The PRESENTATION OF MEDALS BY MRS MAY. .. officers and men of the Hongkong Re-As a souvenir of the Record Reign celebrations, Mrs F. H. May kindly presented ginent showed their loyalty to the Empress Queen by effective displays of lanterns, and the Kowloon Dock Company's the children of the Police with medals promises were lit up as profusely as containing appropriate inscriptions. The

medals are of two sizes. The large medal was given to the oldest children and bears on illuminations. the obverse side a portrait of Her Majesty the Queen, with 'Victoria Regina-1837-1897. The reverse side bears the follow- Mr H. N. Mody's stand. It was a marvel ing inscription :- Reg. et Imp. Born 1819; crowned 1838; married 1840; Jubilee year 1887. Reigned sixty years, 1897. Under her wise rule Science, Art, and Liberty have rapidly advanced. Her example has blessed the people over whom for sixty years she has reigned. The Government House, the Clock Tower and small medal has a similar representation on the obverse side and on the reverse side--· Victoria Reg. et Imp. 1837-1897. Born

STAFF AND DEPARTMENTAL SERGEANTS

tieth year 1897.

With all the vicissitudes of inclement The address was eventually carried by weather this Mess, the smallest and most select in the Garrison, made a brave dis-Both Houses resolved to present their play. Under the direction of Mr R. Bentley, of the Naval Yard, assisted by Mesars Williams, Cronin, and Sherwood, bunting was admirably displayed, and although the downpour of Tuesday rained 250 of their lanterns, yet by the time of the return of the troops from the Happy Valley these gentlemen had brilliantly illuminated the building in Queen's Road in a manner to

eyoke the heartiest congratulations. The jef feature of the illuminations was a Ansparency of Her Majesty, copied from the original oil painting which constitutes one of the most valuable possessions of the men. This work was carried out under the supervision of the Mr C. T. Robinson, and the result proved he was as accomplished a designer as he is a humorist. For the rest, sintern decorations proved this little mess to be far ahead of many larger combinations in the Colony, and it has made for itself a

mark of distinction in these parts. On Wednesday avening, the members of the mess and a few friends sat down to a Jubilee dinner. Mr Bishop, of Thomas's Grill Room, purvoyed excellent repast, which was also well

After justice had been done to the good things, a smoking concert was held under the presidency of Garrison Sergeant-Major Newberry. Mr C. T. Robinson distinguished himself as usual. Songs were also rendered by Messrs Wingent, Blake, Budger, Mansfield, Westcott and Barry. The duet by Mrs Sherwood and Miss Newberry was only marred by the inefficient instrument supplied, and one could see that the temper of an accomplished artist like Mrs Sherwood was sorely tried in manipulating such a machine. Mr Farr Church. The first meeting was held on who was announced in the programme

as accompanist and as participating in a duet did not appear, but his place was admirably taken by Mrs Sherwood, aliss Happer. and he was not missed. The proceedings terminated with a hearty vote of thanks to the Committee, which brought to conclusion one of the most happy assemblies of the small, but select mess.

SUPPLEMENTARY NOTICE OF DECORATIONS AND HALUMINATIONS.

It was as we had anticipated. There were illuminations and decorations throughout the Colony which-were-not-noticed by us yesterday, and which might have remained unnoticed but for the kindly assistance afforded us from various sources. In recording some of these; we take this opportunity of explaining that it is a very difficult matter to tell who is responsible for the decoration of a building; even a journalist has his limitations. It must not be forgotten that Hongkong, in spite of its apparent littleness, is a Colony of immense distances, and it is not everyone who is able—as the tamous 'Tay Pay' O'Connor is-to appear in two places at one and the | tice.

Last night, the P. and O. Company changed their decoration, and instead those miliar fiagdisplayed the not less familar letters 'P. & O.' surmounted by a star, and a conventional lantern design. The effect was very fine. Messrs Holliday, Wise and Co. deserve credit for their decoration in Queen's Road above the Bank of China and Japan, for Her Majesty is certainly the 'Queen of Queens,' A very creased to \$165.60. pretty effect was produced at Hazeldine (Mr E. S. Whealler's) by tracing the out-

line of the house with small glass lamps. At the entrance of Duart, the residence of light and progress will wish much success Mr A. G. Remano, the Portuguese Consul, there was another pretty device-Y.R. with '60' in the centre, surmounted by star in gas jets. His beautiful garden was tastefully encircled by variegated lanterns. The tenants of the Spanish Dominicans cooperated with the Procuration in displaylargely regardless of cost, and there has been | ing on the front of the property 'God Save the Queen' worked out in lamps across the entire front of the terrace. The Italian Ir is with great regret we (Nagasaki Exthe same neighbourhood, had quite an uni- sident of Nagasaki for nearly three years que design, consisting of a cannon in red and was in the employ of Messre Lake & lamps surmounted by a crown. It was Co. until sickness compelled him to take to seen to great advantage from the water, his bed some two weeks ago. His physi-A Nincro correspondent writes to the Ar two o'clock on the 18th inst, as the China Road bore a Royal Urown and 'D. J.' in from the outset. He leaves a widow and N.-C. Daily News :- It is very interesting Navigation's steamer Shengking, Captain | yas jets, and the Gas Company had one child (a son aged six), to whom we to notice how steamer travelling is gaining Anderson, was coming up the River and one of their most effective displays on the offer our hearty sympathy. in favour with the poople in this part of had just passed the Public Garden, a German Club in Wyndham Street-a

careful Insurance Companies would allow. At Kowloon Dock, and amongst the Chiness at Hunghom, there was no lack of Amongst the decorations at the Racecourse on Tuesday, we emitted to mention of artistic decoration. The walls were lined with blue and white flowers-the

well-known Buxey colours-which harmonisod heautifully with the draperies of similar colours, and produced a very effective ensemble. The decorations reflected great credit on the good taste of the owner. There was general disappointment that illuminated last night, and that a few of the Praya front owners followed suit. The public will be pleased to learn that there have been no accidents reported to the police in connection with the Celebrations, and little or no increase of petty crime. It is also a satisfactory feature of the occasion that there have been no cases

> THE TRUE LIGHT SCHOOL. (From a Correspondent.)

of serious crime.

Canton, June 19. name it bears. I refer to the 'True Light's School '-a school for Chinese girls and women, which is better known to the public las Miss Noyes's School.

Last Thursday, the school was en fête being the twenty-fifth anniversary of its opening. Although, for Jvious reasons, this school is not on the list of Canton guides it is certainly one of the sights of the city. Including former pupils and friends there were more than four hundred Chinese present on Thursday afternoon. The Rev. Dr Henry presided.

The exercises of the pupils showed how careful and excellent a training is being given in this institution. One, too, could not help being struck with the almost perfeet discipline. For two hours the pupils preserved good order and entered into the harm at Lyemoon on the 29th of April, various exercises with spirit. The singing 1897. was very pleasing. One of the pupils pre-

sided at the harmonium. Short addresses were given by the Rev. R. H. Graves, M.D., and Rev. W. Bridie and several Chinese gentlemen.

ORIGIN OF THE SCHOOL. The school was one of the first special objects taken up by the Women's Missionary Society of the American Presbyterian June 16, 1872. Only 18 were present. The teachers then were Miss Noyes and

SCHOOL BUENED.

In January, 1895, the school was destroyed by fire. This happened when the pupils were in church, and is believed to h have been the work of an incendiary. In a few months that building was restored and the work restined.

SCHOOL REMOVED TO NEW QUARTERS. The school, which was at first conducted in Canal Road, was in 1880 removed to its present location. Since, that time, the school has steadily increased until now there are 140 in attendance, with a staff of eight Chinese teachers.

During the 25 years of its existence more than 1,000 girls and 528 women have passed through this school. A large number of ex-pupils are engaged as teachers of girls' schools. Nine of the pupils have taken a medical course in connection with the Canton Hospital, and are now in prac-

One of the medical graduates is in Tientsin. She is the wife of Dr Mark, who travelled with Li Hung-Chang as his interpreter, and is one of the physicians to the Chinese Imperial family.

SELF-SUPPORT. Progress is being made towards self-support. During the past eight years \$561.76 have been contributed. In 1889 the amount given was \$29 ; 1 1895 it had in-

A report like the above needs no strengthening, most truly does it justify its name Chan Kwong Shue Uen; and all lovers of in the future to the good ladies who have done and are doing so excellent a work.

THE death of Inspector Quin, who died on the Red Sea which then prevailed. The her orew from heat apoplexy about that assault was committed reported the matter | thority to arrest the accused. Urnuez on her way to Australia, lost two of

centre; and he Royal Artillery mess, in the 16th June. The deceased was a re-Messrs Mody and Co.'s premises at Queen's cians entertained no hope for his recovery

There are now four small steamers lighter got directly in her way. To avoid Crown, a Star, 1837-1897, and a row of A FEATHER cleaning factory is in process run by three different companies. One running the lighter down Captain Anderson jots running horizontally across the face of construction in the country a short discompany has a daily service of steamers to tried to pass between it and Messrs. the building. Noronha and Co. had the tance beyond Jessfield, and on the 14th and from the heiencity of Yuyao. Another Jardine and Matheson's Opium Hulk legend in gas Long live the Queen, and inst., Mr Smith, an assistant of Mr Atkinis catering for the needs of Chinhai ; whilst Yuenfah. Unfortunately, the Shengking amongst the other illuminations fitted up son's, was sent out to act as clerk of the name or name or name of inthe factor of the first of the figure of the factor of the first of the factor of the fa seem to see went performed. Such a seed of the Jubilee Celebra- Mr. J. M. Machado, Arbuthnot Road; was at once set on to by a gaug of rowdies tension of his command at Portsmouth for the Jubilee its way to the Imperial exchequer, the rest that Tsai Tactai is expected on the 24th its way to the Imperial exchequer, the rest that Tsai Tactai is expected on the 24th its way to the Imperial exchequer, the rest that Tsai Tactai is expected on the 24th its way to the Imperial exchequer, the rest that Tsai Tactai is expected on the 24th its way to the Imperial exchequer, the rest its way to the Imperial exchequer and its way to the Imperial exchequer and its way to the Imperial exc tions were also damaged and the roof of the last and was compelled to take refuge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in a shed, air weeks in consequence of the Judge in the provincial authors, but whether he will reduce having gone to enrich the provincial authors, but whether he will be ready to sit when he does come or the native disgatisfied with the hundrum proceeded to the whole the short. Execumparation of the land the street of the second of the start of th thus prove an important factor in this re
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SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO LIEUT. TONG, RIFLE BRIGADE.

Singapore, June 16. Lieut S. C. Long, of the Rifle Brigade, Garrison Adjutant, we regret to hear was the victim of an unlucky accident whilst at the parade rehearsal at the Barracks this Hospital suffering from the effects of opium morning. He was, so we are informed, poisoning. Everything possible was done for trying a new horse which H.E. the General him, but he succumbed shortly after admis-Officer Commanding wished to ride at the sion. Jubilee Review, and when the Band began | Deceased lived at No. 9, Park Lane, to play the animal got restive and attempted Hongkew, and was known to be in destito throw its rider. Lieut. Long was too tute circumstances, though he was said to

membered, Capt. Radelyffe of the Rifle of the Officers' Mess at Tanglin. -Free | held.

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Honour Sir John Carrington, Chief Justice.) . Thursday, June 24.

AN ABSENT JURYMAN. Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney-Gen-

craft said he would like to refer to the matter of Mr W. H. Gaskell, who was served an institution which is worthy of the high jaror, and he duly attended on the morn-thing. Native brokers are all over the Committee of the French Chamber of ing of the 18th June. It would be in his place, like ants, trying to sell houses, Deputies appointed to investigate the new the jury were allowed to go for a certain etc., etc., and no buyers. The heat of its rejection by 5 votes to 4. The reason time—until two o'clock. Mr Gaskell mis- for the last ton days has been given for the rejection is not simply that understood what the usher said. He awful. In the sugar provinces the French citizens in Japan are unable to understood him to say that he-would cane plants are being burnt up for want hold landed property, while Japanese in not be required any more that day. Mr of rain, paddy is being attacked by insects, France have this right, but other objections take he made and under these circum- mass of locusts on the line. Fighting is desire the ratification of the new Treaty,

> His Lordship asked Mr Gaskell to stand forward, and said he accepted the assuranco made in his declaration that he had made a bona fide mistake. ASSAULT ON AN ASIATIC ARTILLERYMAN. · Gunda Singh, Sunda Singh and Taker Singh were charged with feloniously, unbuffully and maliciously wounding Bhagat

Singh with intent to do him grevious bodily (instructed by Mr H. L. Dennys, Crown sleep at night for fear of kidnappers, and ernment the action of the Hawaiian authori-Solicitor) prosecuted; Mr M. W. Slade they are being urged on by anti-foreign ties in carrying out the Immigration Act did

on behalf of Gunda Singh; Mr C. D. Mel- to serve, to vent their spite on foreigners. Treaty, and that the decision of the Hawaibourne (instructed by Mr J. F. Reece) appeared in defence of Sunda Singh. Prisoners pleaded not guilty. The following jurors were empanelled .

-Messrs F. A. Azario, F. Maitland, W. nesses were Artillerymen. The three pri- whom the railway is throwing out of work. soners slept in the same room at the bar- The foreign officials are well informed as to racks. The complainant was the unhappy | what is going on, and are working with the possessor of a \$100 note—he said unhappy native officials; there is a naval force at Japanese labourers who are employed in possessor—because he seems to have Taku, and there is no alarm in the foreign gathering mother-of-pearl shells. The

thought that the money would not be safe settlements, but all are on unless under his own personal supervision, alert. A few days ago, an attack and when he went for a walk he tied it up was made just outside the North in a handkerchief which he tied round his Gate on a party consisting of Dr and Mrs neck. The history of the note was that Porter and their children and the Rev. A. it was given to the complainant by a H. Smith who were proceeding in boats to disease has broken out among the silkworms brother soldier gone on leave. This Shantung. The boats were stoned by a in certain districts of France, and threatens. man who had gone on leave gave him the large mob of Chinese and assistance had to spread. The extent of damage has not

plainant should send to him remittances, seven o'clock on the night in question the Daily News. complainant went out for a walk and on the road he met two comrades, one of his walk, and about nine o'clock he ob- Daily News. served three men, and suspecting that they were the prisoners, who had come to assault him, he loosened the handkerchief round

The prisoners continued the essault, men who committed the assault. He sailor on the and the glance he got at their faces. Anthe barracks at a quarter to ten o'clock. There were five men absent, and these included the prisoners and complainant. at the barracks when they arrived, and the three prisoners were arrested on entering the barracks at night. The complainant when he regained consciousness walked and he was detained in hospital goveral

weeks. He was now quite out of danger. the Attorney-General's statement. The evidence and cross-examination of the complainant occupied most of to-day's

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SAD DEATH OF A FOREIGNER AT SHANGHAL

Shanghai, June 18. On Wednesday evening a German named Hans Heinrich, formerly a drill-instructor at Nanking, was admitted to the General

good a horseman for this, and the brute have money due to him from the Chinese deliberately threw itself down and rolled Government. He was discovered lying on over, fracturing the unfortunate officer's his bed, unconscious, by the usher of the thigh. He was at once removed to his German Court, who had gone to deceased's quarters and medical assistance called in, house in connection with a civil case which and he is now reported to be as well as was pending against him in that Court. Dr Zedelius was at once communicated with Not so very long ago, it will be re- and ordered his removal to the hospital. An inquest was opened at the German Brigade, also had the misfortune to break | Consulate-General yesterday, and a posthis thigh at a paper chase whilst in front mortem examination was ordered to be

As soon as the result of the post-nurtem is known, the enquiry will be resumed .-N.-O. Daily News.

THE SITUATION IN MANILA. The following extract from a private letter dated Manila, 9th June, has been put at the disposal of the Editor of the Singapore Free Press by a Singapore friend :-Here things are in a frightful mess. Spanish dollars have been introduced, 10% less value than Mexicans, and exchange for 4m/s Bank drafts 2/-.

'Here 'everybody' wants to sell every-Lordship's recoilection that on that day grounds, horses, carriages furniture estates, Franco-Japanese Treaty has voted in favour Gaskell desired him to express his regret and in the northern rice provinces the are also advanced against the ratification of that he was not present when the jury re- locusts pre cating everything up. A few the Treaty. It is reported that the assembled. He had no intention to show days ago about 40 miles from Manila, the majority in the Chamber of Deputies disany disrespect to the Court. It was a mis- train was stopped owing to the immense agree with the vote of the Committee and stances his Lordship would pardon the is still going on in several provinces and so that it is believed it will be eventually mistake Mr Gaskell had made. Mr Gaskell | the papers here say nothing about it; which had filed a declaration setting out these looks bad. The papers haven't even mentioned a single 'gloriosa victoria.' If you come across the Hongkong China Mail of Spanish colonial policy.

ALARMING SITUATION IN TIEN.

Shanghai, June 19. From Tientsin we hear under date the Mr W. M. Goodman, Attorney-General reigns in the city. The natives cannot Honolulu, that in the opinion of the Gov-(instructed by Mr H. W. Looker) appeared intriguers, and rascals who have baser ends not constitute an infringement of the the priests to re-dedicate it on Jubilee H. Gaskell, B. Jorus, F. M. R. Pereira, Day; (2) the discontent of the Mahammedan element; (3) the desire of Li's following The Attorney-General explained that the to put the present Viceroy in a fix; (4) the is inclined towards a revision of the existthree prisoners and the complainant were cases of kidnapping by Cantonese junkmen gunners in the Asiatic Artiflery, stationed that have actually occurred; and (5) the at Lyemoon Forts, and most of the wit- discontent of the enormous boat population

money with the intention that the com- be requested from the nearest yamen, A yet been ascertained. guard of soldiers was sent down to protect which he would receive at a high rate of them, and they were able to proceed on-

What might have been a serious, if not whom had a sprained foot. The complain- fatal, accident happened to Mr Jernigan, ant offered to rub the injured foot, and the Consul-General, and a friend on the about this time the three prisoners came 17th inst. The two gentlemen were drivup and they had a quarrel and the com- ing along the Bubbling Well Road, when plainant was thrown down and assaulted. the pony took fright at the approach of a The prisoners then left and the man with Sikh trooper and overturned the carriage the sprained foot and his companion made into the ditch. Both gentlemen by good their way home. The complainant continued fortune escaped without injury. N.-C.

CAPTAIN Jackson, of the Loosok, reported his neck and hid the money in the grass. to the Bangkok polico, on the 10th inst., a | in prices, and thinking to coarce the buyers He then went and sat under No. 3 gun, rather serious attack on some of his Chinese they combined and notified the foreign with the intention of allowing the men to, crew by Opium Farm guards. It seems pass. The men came up and seemed to be (says the Bangkok Times) that about half- samples and do no further business for looking for something. On catching sight past six the boatswain, the store-keeper, of the complainant they seized him, threw and a sailor, all Cantonese, had left the and after consultation replied to the comp him down and committed an atrocious vessel in a reachang to go on shore, when assault upon him and inquired where four Opium Farm guards came up in with the dealers, but would extend the the complainant had put his money. another reachang and wanted to search holidays and do no business for five days. The complainant said he did not have them to see that they did not have any opium with them. The search was duly and finally left the complainant in an carried out and nothing was found. unconscious state. The complainant was Then, it is alleged, one of the guards merchants have held a conference and certain that they were the took a boat paddle and struck the decided, on the resumption of buying torecognised them both by their voices whole four guards and others who came up ruling before the Japanese dealers declared at the time 'went for' the three men from other circumstance which corroborated this | the Locsok with oars and sticks in a very recognition was the fact that the prisoners brutal fashion. After the "row," the were absent when the roll was called at guards paddled off to the Opium Farm station as fast as they could, and the boatswain returned to the vessel with the other two men, one of whom was so badly injured When one of the prisoners arrived at the about the head that he was unconscious barracks he was challenged by the officer and had to be sent to the Bangkok Hosthe homeward passage of the Parramatta, of the guard for not having his turban, pital. The boatswain said he could identiwas no doubt caused by the intense heat in and in reply he said he had got it wet fy their assailants all of whom were Chi and left it on the grass to dry. The ness. The matter was reported to the Britwo men who were present when the first tish Consul, and Mr Sheriff received au-

ACCORDING to a memorial of the Board of Revenue recommending a new system of THE Chinese are continuing their endeataxing native-grown opium, the chief opium | yours to reduce Mesers. Bennertz & Co. Châkiang 14,000 piculs; Kiangsu 10,000 hope thereby to drive Bennertz & Co. to piculs; Kirin 6,000 piculs; Anhui, 2,000 the end of their resources. As we men-Evidence was then given in support of piculs: Fukien 2,000 piculs; and the pro- tioned before, the Tapini proposed some vinces of Kansu, Shensi, Shangtung, Shan- time since that Messrs. Bennertz & Co.'s si, Honan, and Chihli, an aggregate claim should be arbitrated on by Sir amounting to 60,000 piculs, or a total of Nicholas Hannen and Tsai Taotsi, and to 334,000 piculs from 14 out of the 21 pro- this Sir Nicholas agreed. On the 27th of vinces which constitute the present empire | April last Mesers. Bonnertz and Co., sent of China-not including Outer Mongolia in their claim, and on or about the 14th of and Tibet. The memorial further states May Teai Taotai, who was to sit with Sir that according to the above estimate which Nicholas, went off to Tientain tor an

ADMIRAL Sir Nowell Salmon, our former Robert Hart at the Board's squest, the On the 2nd instant the Chinese put in

THE TOKIO-MARU ASHORE AT SUMA:

PEARS FOR THE YOROHAMA-MABU. Kobe, June 16. The N.Y.K. steamer Tokio-mart, Captain Barstow, which left here for Australia via ports shortly after noon yesterday, with three hundred emigrants on baard, got ashore about I o'clock inside the beacon at Suma. She is now lying less than a cable's length from the Hirase beacon.

As soon as information reached Kobe, the Nippon Yusen Kaishs sent downthe Yokohama-maru to her assistance, and both the Sagami and the Tolomi afterwards assisted in the operations. All, efforts made to move her yesterday proved unsuccessful, however, and though she was moved about seven o'clock this morning, she simply drifted a few yards and again became hard and fast. It is reported that her propeller is smashed, which of course renders her helpless to assist the efforts being made to get her afloat. She lies stern on to the shore opposite the Takino-chaya, and has a very bad list. Lighters have been sent down this morn-

ing with the view of taking out the cargo and thus lightoning the vessel. During the operations the Yokohamamara got close inshore, and vessels which passed this morning report that she appears to be in difficulties horself.—Chronicle.

> JAPANESE TELEGRAMS. (From the 'Kobe Chronicle.")

THE FRANCO-JAPANESE TREATY. Yokohama, June 12.-A telegrim was received yesterday by a foreign firm in Yokohama from London, stating that the

THE TREATY WITH AUSTRO-HUNGARY. Tokyo, June 13 -The Government is reported to have received a telegram that 29th May, read the interview with Dr | the negotiations for revision of the Treaty Rizal's widow and you will get an idea of with Austro-Hungary still remain in an unsatisfactory position.

JAPAN AND HAWAIL. Tokyo, June 8.—A telegraphic dispatch from Honolulu dated the 25th ult. was received at the Foreign Office yesterday. It was to the effect that on the 24th ult. the Hawaiian Ministry informed Mr 15th inst. that a state of absolute panic | Shimamura, the Japanese Minister in Several causes combine to produce this ian Supreme Court was legal. The demands condition of things: (1) the public dis- of the Japanese Government could not, content at the restoration of the French therefore, be complied with. Count Okuma Cathedral in the city, and the decision of has sent lengthy telegraphic instructions to Mr Shimamura in reply.

A telegram was received in Tokyo yesterday, stating that the Hawsiian Government

MORE OPPOSITION TO JAPANESE IMMIGRATION. The Japanese Consul at Thursday Island has telegraphed that an agitation has been commenced to prohibit the engagement of

sent for the present. DISEASE AMONG SILKWORMS IN TRANCE. A dispatch from the Japanese Consul at Lyons, dated the 5th inst, announces that

THE TEA MARKET. Yokohama, June, 12.—Business in tea is exchange. Somewhere about half-past their journey the next morning -N.-C. still in abeyance. Quotations are weaker. amounted to 1,885 chests and sales to foreign firms to 83,400 catties. On the 12th inst. arrivals were 1,493 chests and sales 264,600 catties.)

[The Japan Gazette of Saturday says :--Owing to the anxiety to get tea into the United States before July 1st, great activity has prevailed in the toa markets and high prices have ruled. But as no further freight can now be booked to enter America by that date, and the feeling is general that after all the tar may not be imposed, prices have fallen considerably. The Japanese tea-dealers did not relish this fall

done in Yokohama until Monday next. l [Japanese papers report that foreign tea

30 New Pianos just arrived; best makers. Also Cabin and Transposing Pianos, gusranteed for the climate. W. Robinson & Co.

A REPORT is out to the effect that the N.Y.K. has decided upon making cortain alterations in the route of its Hongkong and Vladivostock line, making all vessels stop at Shanghai, Chefoo, Jinsen, Nagasaki, Fusan, and Gensan on the northward trip, and Gensan, Fusan, Nagasaki, Bakan, Kobe, Keelung, Foschow, and Amoy on the Southward trip.

the Board has reason to believe to be quite indefinite period. This was not very accurate, having been compy by Sir polite, to say the least, to Sir Nicholan.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP MELBOURNE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE:

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London. and Havre, ex S.S. Seyne, and from Bordeaux, ex S.S. Antilles and Ville d'Arras, In counction with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharp and GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 11 A.M. To DAY (TUESDAY), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tuespay, the 29th Instant, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, or they

will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on Tuesday, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. → G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, June 22, 1897.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

TIME Company's S.S. Chelydra having prrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 24th Instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and . expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected. . Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, June 21, 1897.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BRINDISI.

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their rick in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 26th Instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. -No Fire Insurance will be effected by moin any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised. H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 21, 1897.

Intimations.

NAGASAKI PRESS.

New PRINTING OFFICE, to be known *THE NAGASAKI PRESS,' will be Open in Nagasaki, at Latest on July 1st. A complete new Plant for Machine Printing, with a Petroloum Engine, has been ordered from England. Printing of all kinds, in English, Russian, and Japanese, will be executed on the most reason-

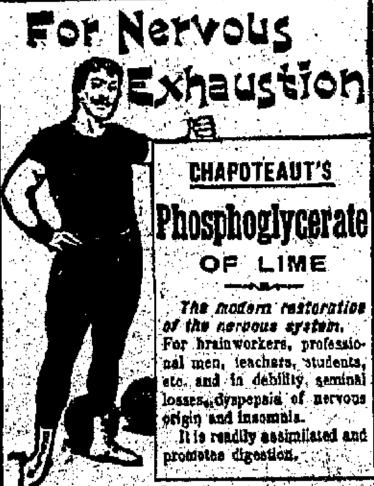
Office and Fancy Stationery in Stock and to Order.

able Terms.

Books of all kinds in Stock and to Order. Banking and other Account Books in Stock and to Order.

A Daily Newspaper, The Nagasaki Daily Press, will be Published on and after July 1st. The Nagasaki Press has made arrangements for a Daily Service of Telegrams from Tokyo, supplying the most Important Home and Local News.

Prior to July 1st, Communications for the Nagasaki Press may be addressed care of Mossre. Holme Ringer & Co., Negasaki. Subsequent to that Date they should be addressed to The Nagasaki Press, Nagasaki,



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Shipping.

Steamers.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling QUEENSLAND PORTS and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE,

"NEW ZEALAND, &c.) The Steamship Menmuir. above Ports on SATURDAY, the 26th

Instant, at Noon. This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout N.B. -Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia, are avail-

able for return by the Steamers of the China Navigation Company, and vice For Freight or Passage, apply to-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, June 19, 1897.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Carmarthenshire. Captain Sincock, will be despatched for the above Captuin Stacock, will be

BHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

Port on or about the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, June 16, 1897.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. JAPAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE. MONTHLY SERVICE. (Under Mail Contract).

1243 FOR THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

> The Co.'s Steamship Sagami Maru,
> Captain N. Ohno, will
> be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant, at Noon. Good Accommodation on board for First and Second Class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, June 19, 1897. 'BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Benledi, Captain FARQUHAB, due here on or about 10th June, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 21, 1897.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. HONGKONG-VLADIVOSTOCK LINE.

MONTHLY SERVICE. FOR VLADIVOSTOCK, VIA SHANGHAI, OHEFOO, CHEMUL-PO, NAGABAKI, FUSAN AND GENSAN.

The Co.'s Steamship Hiogo Maru,
Captain H. WALTER, will
be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd July, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, June 19, 1897.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. JAPAN BOMBAY-LINE. MONTHLY SERVICE. (Under Mail Contract.) FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO AND

BOMBAY. The Co.'s Steamship Idaumi Maru;
Capt. J. M. Curnow, will
be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th July,

For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, June 19, 1897.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship will be despatched as

To BE FOLLOWED BY The Steamship Frey, about 25th July. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1897.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 100 A. I. British Ship Clan Mackenzie,

Captain Indes, having arrived,

will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, June 12, 1897. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. British barque Heathbank. McKroners, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the

above Port and will have quick despatch. For Breight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1807.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain ROLOH, will be Captain McABrille, will Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th Instant, at be despatched for the Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Hongkong, June 24, 1897.

FOR WEST RIVER PORTS. (KONGMOON, KAMCHUCK, SAMSHUI, SHIU-HING, TARHING and WUCHAU). The Steamskip

General Managers.

will leave Hongkong for Wuchau, uid Ports of 1230 Call, on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at 4 The above Dates may be slightly modified. Europe. This Vessel has Accommodation for a

Limited number of First-class Passengers. Fare to or from Wuonau, \$10.7% Fare to or from Samshul, 88. Meals can be obtained on board, on ap plication to the Steward, at tariff rates. Canton instead of Hongkong, by the Strs. of the Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Co., Ld.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, June 23, 1897.

WARRACK' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAL, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship

Capt. J. C. WILLIAMSON, cago will be despatched as lines. above on or about MONDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, June 21, 1897.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER. DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN). The Steamship

Thekla,
Captain H. STEHR, will
be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 80th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 19, 1897.

Mails.



STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS,

PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA. VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTIN-ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship ROSETTA, Captain F. N. THLARD, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on THURSDAY, the 1st July, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

This Steamer connects at Bombay with the Steamship PENINSULAR, leaving that Port on the 23rd July, for LONDON

direct. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) vid SHANGHAL, NAGASAKI, KOBE, will be transhipped at Colombo into a INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOsteamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and LULU, on TUESDAY, the 6th July, at London; other cargo for London, &c., will Noon. be conveyed and Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested 1231 note the terms and conditions of the Con pany's Bills of Lading. For further Particulars, apply to

H, A, RITCHIE. Superintendent.

. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, June 17, 1897.

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Milither the Captain, the Agents, nor Oroners will be Remonsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Ores of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harrbour :--CLAN MACRENZIE, British ship, Captain

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Mails.

U. S. Mail Line.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. China (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, (BATURDAY, Jone 26, Inland Sea, Yokobama & H'lulu)....

Peru (via Shanghal,) N'saki, Kobe, In- THURSDAY, July 15, land Sea and Yoko-Oity of Rio de Janeiro (via S'hai, N'naki, Tursday, August 3,

Kobo, Inland Boa,

Y'hama & H'lulu).

ITHE V.S. Mail Steamship CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, vid SHANGHAL NAGASAKI KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 26th June, at Noon, taking Passongers and Freight for Japan the United States, and

at noon.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed Through Passage Tickets granted to Columbia...... 2,605 Tuesday | Cot. 19. to break their journey at any point en route. England, Franco, and Germany by all principal cities of the United States or

EUROPE have the choice of the Overland Through Bills of Lading issued to Pacific Rail routes from San Francisco, including | Coast Points, and to Canadian and United the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL States Points. PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS; also the CANA. and one copy must be sent forward by the DIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment steamer to the care of The Freight Agent, of £4 in addition to the regular tariff rate, Passongers holding orders FOR OVER. LAND CITIES in the United States have. between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chi-

cago to destination, the choice of direct Particulars of the various routes can be had on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navai, Military, Diplomatio, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of Chica

and Japan, and to Government officials and 1242 their families. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans. portation to Yokohama and other Japan ROOM being now upstairs, and a Large Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and BILLIARD ROOM (having Two New Inland Oitles of the United States, via Burrough and WATTS' TABLES) being added Overland Rallway, to Havana Trimdad, to the Hotel.

Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until o.m the day previous to sailing. Parce Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.ni., same day; all Parcel Packages diould be marked to address in fell: value of same is required.

Consular Involues to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, chould be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San For further information as to Pazzage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 7, Praya Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, June 9, 1897.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

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VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Belgic (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Tuesday, July 6, Inland Sea. Yokohama and H'luiu) Coptic (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, SATURDAY, July 24, Inland Sea, Y'ma at nócn.

and Honolulu) Fact c (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Saturday, August Inland See and 14, at noon. Yokohama)

THE Steamship BELGIC will be despatched for BAN FRANCISCO,

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.
Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes ON SALE AT KELLY & WALSH, LTD. may be obtained upon application. Special rates (fixet class only) are granted

to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families, Passengers who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Brancisco for China or

Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Burope. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the day previous to salling. Consular Involves to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond Ban Francisco. in the United States, should be sent to the

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HONGKONG TO TACOMA, \$225. Rates of Passage to other Points on application. Special rates allowed to members of Go-

vernment Services.

PROPOSED SATILINGS FROM HONGEONG, (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).)lympia...... | 2,608 | Tuesday | July 6. Pathan | 2,907 | Tuesday | Suly 27. Tacoma...... | 2,549 | Tuesday | Aug. 17. Victoria..... | 3,167 | Tuesday | Sept. 7. Olympia..... | 2,608 | Tuesday | Sept. 28.

Holders of Return Tickets may Return to trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the THE Steamship OLYMPIA, Captain Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli- TUESDAY, the 6th July, will proceed to VIOTORIA, (B.C.), and TACOMA Passengers holding through ORDERS TO | (Wash.), via KOBE and YOKOHAMA.

Consular Involces of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate. Northern Pacific Railway, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office (with address marked in full) by 5 p.m., on the day previous to sailing. For further information as to Passage or

Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, June 4, 1897.

Intimations.

THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM

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A French Chef having been engaged the Cusine will be second to none. ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNERS.

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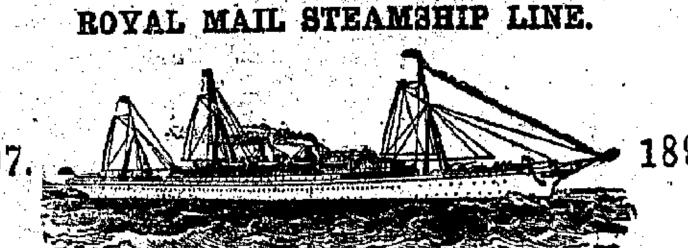
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PROPOSED SATIANDS PROM HONDKONG. EMPRESS OF INDIA Comdr. O. P. MARSHALL, R. N.R. WEDNESDAY, 30th June/97. EMPRESS OF JAPAN ... Comdr. H. PYBUS, R.N.R. ... WEDNESDAY, 21st July/97. EMPRESS OF CHINA ... Comde. R. ARCHIBALD, R.N.R.... WEDNESDAY, 11th Aug. /97.

THE magnificent Steamships of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C. in 12 DAYS, making close connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL TRANS. CONTINENTAL TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY which leave daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIO WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.

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Hongkong, June 9, 1897. PEDDER STREET.

Commencing 1st May, and continuing through the Summer, Return Tickets can by purchased to Bauff, including Berth in Sleeping Car and Meals on the Railway journey from Vancouver, at the equivalent of £60. The Ports of Call are SHANGHAL, NAGASARI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VIOTORIA, B.C., and VANCOUVER, and 1136 permission is granted to STOP-OYER at any Port and continue by a au sequent Steamer. Every facility is offered for breaking the journey at any intermediate places in British Columbia to make excursions into the Rucky Mountains.

BANFF.—This popular resort, charmingly situated amongst the Peaks and Glacoria of the Rocky Mountains, in the Canadian National Park, is justly celebrated for its natural Hot Sulphur and Mineral Springs, magnificent scenery, and clear, invigorating The large and well-appointed Hotel stands 4,500 feet above see level, providing its guests with all modern comforts and luxuries, also a steam-launch, rowing boats and cances for making excursions on the river and numerous lakes in the vicinity, where excellent fishing and shooting is obtainable.

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CURIOUS EPITAPHS. LATE TELEGRAMS. (Rangoon Gazette.) ious people the world over, could be FIGHTING IN CONGOLAND. London, June 2 .- M. Chaltin, of Congo Service, occupied Redjaf with his published collections of epitaphs force in February and defeated two thousand Mahdists, driving them northwards he's dead, for the wheel of a waggon XNDIAN FINANCE. went over his head! In the House of Commons last night, Lord George Hamilton, replying to a ques-tion, said it, was not intended to alter the igher flight than the following :--policy of closing the mints, and he had no reason for thinking that the fluctuation in

exchange was due to imports of silver. THE INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE. Simla, June 8.—The Medical Service, which has so splendidly met the great strain placed upon it by the plague and famine, is at last getting back to more ordinary Furlough still remains closed loave on urgent private affairs and privilege leave are once more open probably be possible to allow at least a few men to take furlough as soon as the rains break throughout the country. The matter chiefly depends on the number of officers Bombay can new permit to return from special plague work to their ordinary duties in the provinces whence they have been borrowed, and communications are passing between the Government of India and the Bombay authorities regarding this point. Upon none has the stress of the past few months fallen more heavily than upon the officers of the Indian Medical Service who have cheerfully given up all leave to enable them to stick continuously to their trying posts

THE ABYSSINIAN MISSION. London, June 4. - Mr Rennell Rodd is the bearer of a letter and presents from King Menelik for the Queen.——

while health remained.

THE KING OF SIAM. The King of Siam has arrived at Rome and is the guest of King Humbert. He visits the Pope to-morrow.

Rome, June 7.—The King of Siam has gone to Florence. King Humbert and the Princes escorted the King of Siam to the station.

MYSTERIOUS ROBBERY AT CALCUTTA. A most mysterious robbery has been committed from Fort William arsenal which etc. The articles stolen and carried off were the Cossipore Artillery Volunteers Challenge Cup valued at Rs. 800 and the Battery Challenge Cup valued at Rs. 150. matter is wrapped in mystery.

THE EGYPTIAN MEDAL. Simla, May 28.—The Queen has sanction- Galtee More, who had been steadied, lying ed the acceptance and wearing of the Khedive's silver medal by the force employ- bottom of the hill Minister again lost his ed in the Dongola Expedition. The medal place, Oakdene showing out with a clear will be granted to those who served at and lead of a length as they got into the straight; south of Sarras or at Suakin between the then came Galtee More and Velasquez, with 10th March and 23rd September 1896. History fourth, the quartette well clear of Lists of those entitled to the medal are to the ruck. At the quarter mile Galtee More be prepared by commanding officers and was leading, followed by Velusquez and heads of departments without delay for the History, while Oakdene fell back besten. information of the Egyptian Military authorities.

-(Times of Ceylon.) LORD SANDHURST AND INDIAN FREE-

Calcutta, June 7.-Lord Sandhurst has peen installed Grand Master of all Scottish Freemasonry in India; and on Saturday laid the foundation stone of the Bombay Masonic Hall.

A SUICIDE AT DUM DUM. Sergeant Brow, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Dum Dum, stabbed himself to the heart on the 1st June. The deceased was a smart and popular soldier, and no reason is given for the rash act.

PLAGUE SERUM FROM BUROPE. London, June 2.—Professor Lustig, of Florence, has started for Bombay with special plague serum.

BAMORY RELEASES LIEUT. HENDERSON. June 3.—Advices from the West Coast of Africa states that Samory has released Lieut. Henderson, who is laden with presents for the Governor. GERMAN EMPEROR INSULTED BY AN EGYP-TIAN NEWSPAPER,

May 30.—The Egyptian Government have decided to prosecute the Arab journal Mushir, for publishing articles insulting to the German Emperor. THE SOUTH AFRICA COMMITTEE. June 2.—The Chairman of the South

African Committee announced at yesterday's sitting that he would report to the House of Commons the fact that Mr Rhodes and Mr Hawksley had refused to produce certain telegrams, June 5.—The South Africa Committee

has adjourned sine die. The Chairman has deferred reporting Mr Cecil Rhodes, Mr Hawksley, and Dr Rutherford Harris to the House of Commons till the presentation of the Committee's report. MILL STRIKE AT BOMBAY.-LABOUR TO BE IMPORTED.

Calcutto.—June 3, 11-56 a.m.—In consequence of the Bombay Mill Strike the Mill- Gurslaff... owners' Association are arranging to import | Sharp Pk. labour from the North-West Provinces and Amoy other parts of India. Several Companies | Swatow .. are agreeing to employ a proportion of the Canton ... imported labour. FOREIGN VOLUNTEERS IN GREECE.

May 30.—In consequence of the dissonsions in the Greek Foreign Legion the French and Belgian members have with-

PRINCE GEORGE OF GREECE APPEALS

TO THE CZAR. May 31.—The Standard states that Prince George of Greece has telegraphed to the Czar urging him to again intervene on behalf of Greece and impose on the Sultan conditions of peace.

THE INDIAN TEA MARKET. Calcutta, June 1.—The shipments of tea to Great Britain this season amount to 3,057,000 lbs., against 2,300,000 lbs. to the same date last year. The quality, so far, is much inferior.

almost be described as a flasco, as there were | and hundredths, practically no buyers. The brokers blame | 2. Tanganarous, in the shade, in degrees | sent to the poor quality, but the Indian Daily News, in an article, blames the brokers for not pushing the business sufficiently, and thinks it will induce owners of gardens to ship more of their tea to the London sales: Eleven thousand five hundred packages were offered, and about six thousand were sold, SLIGHT INCREASE OF FLAGUE AT BOMBAY

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AND POONA.

Wednesday at Ternand. THE ARTI-DYNASTIC SEELING IN ATRING DENIED.

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May 30 .- It is declared at Athens that the statements made regarding the antidynastic movement and the dissensions between the King and his ministers are without foundation, and that order is perfectly assured. There is much discussion at Athens regarding the opportunity furnished of a visit to London by the Crown Prince, who is invited to the Queen's Jubiles. June 1.—The invitation to the Duke of Mon. In 1975.

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An amusing collection gathered by curpublished of tombstone literature. Some of the following are not found in the Here lies Thomas Williams, no wonder

Rhyme with reason rarely reaches a Beneath the stone our baby lies. He neither cries nor hollers: he lived just one and twenty days and cost

us forty dollars ! To many an odd and ill-matched couple might the following be applied: Their warfare is accomplished.

How often widowers vie with one another in doing honour to the dear departed- 818 Deep, in this bed, there lies the clay of

Arabella Young, who, on the 23rd. of May, began to hold her tongue." Uncouth rhyme lies nearer the truth ometimes than might be supposed :-Here lies W.W. who ne'er again will trouble you, trouble you. Railroad engines sometimes come in for

verse, as witness the following :-Collisions, four or five, she bore; the aignals were in vain; grown old and rusted, her boiler busted and smashed the excursion train. More is yet to come, this time from

punning epitaphist on one Fuller by

'Here lies Fuller's carth.' English seems weak sometimes in this department, as when we read :--Us shall go to he, but him shall never

return to we. Engraved on the tomb of a jovial drayman are the words :--Lie heavy on him, earth, for he laid many a heavy load on the.

THE DERBY.

DESCRIPTION OF THE RACE. The following description of the Derby was wired out to the Asian .-They were despatched to a very level start, Prime Minister Monterey, Angelos and Oakdene showing to the front in the is guarded by three doors with double order named after a few strides, followed sentries and contains all the approved by Galtee More and Frieson. When a furpatterns of war materials and appliances, long had been travelled Cakdene displaced Prime Minister for the lead, and attended by Galtée More and Angelos, with the rest close up, this was the order to the mile. Here Pime Minister recovered his position at the The thieves are still at large and the whole | head of affairs, and as they began the ascent of the hill he was still showing the way with Oakdene second, History third and

fourth about a length behind. Reaching the 1012 Galtee More moving in magnificent style never had the issue of the race in doubt for a moment, and won in a canter by two lengths; eight lengths dividing second and

third. Time, 2min. 4secs. The day was particularly fine, and the going first class. Among the spectators were T. R. H. the Prince and Princess of Wales, the King of the Belgians, and a very brilliant company, which included the Indian and Colonial Officers taking part in the Jubilee celebrations.

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On the 24th at 11.35 a. Barometric changes are slight. The shallow area of low pressure still covers the S. and S.W. coasts of China and the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast: - Moderate or fresh E and S.E. winds; unsettled, showery.

F. G. Frog, Acting Director. Hongkong Observatory, June 24, 1897.

1. Barountus, reduced to 82 degrees Fahren-June 4. - Yesterday's tea sale might neit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tentis, News and Advertisements. Fahrenheit. 8. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being

> 4. Direction or Wind, to two points. 5. Fence or Wind, socording to Beautort 6. STATE OF WEATERS, 5 blue sky, 5 detached alouds, d drisaling rain, flog, g gloomy,

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